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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20530

INTERNAL SECURITY
SECTION
REGISTRATION UNIT

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

*Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended*

For Six Month Period Ending JUN 17 1979
(Insert date)

Name of Registrant
Belgian National Tourist Office

Registration No.
529

Business Address of Registrant
745 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10022

I - REGISTRANT

1. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following:

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(2) Citizenship	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
(3) Occupation	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) Ownership or control	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(3) Branch offices	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2. Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Item 1.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, and 5.

3. Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name

Position

Date Connection
Ended

4. Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Citizenship</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Date Assumed</i>
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5. Has any person named in Item 4 rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such person and describe his services.

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6. Have any employees or individuals other than officials, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date terminated</i>
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7. During this 6 month reporting period, have any persons been hired as employees or in any other capacity by the registrant who rendered services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence Address</i>	<i>Position or connection</i>	<i>Date connection began</i>
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II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

8. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name of foreign principal

Date of Termination

9. Have you acquired any new foreign principal¹ during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish following information:

Name and address of foreign principal

Date acquired

10. In addition to those named in Items 8 and 9, if any, list the foreign principals¹ whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Commissariat General au Tourisme (Belgian National Tourist Office) in Brussels, Belgium, which is under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Transport, Brussels, Belgium.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9, and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

On behalf of both, dissemination by mail, phone and verbally of information concerning travel to and in Belgium. Distribution of new printed matter is indicated on the attached list (Attachment #1). Exhibits are enclosed. Said material is listed on attached sheet (Attachment #2), together with respective quantities made available. Representation at various events is listed on attached sheet (Attachment #3).

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity² as defined below?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

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13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits any or all of your foreign principals?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

² The term "political activities" means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

14. (a) RECEIPTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.³

Date	From Whom	Purpose	Amount
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The Belgian National Tourist Office draws against an amount allocated annually for advertising, publicity, salaries, etc., (for 1979: \$1,072,206.00). The following expenditures were made for this period to the Commissariat General au Tourisme, Brussels, Belgium, as of the following dates:

January 1	\$84,317.37
February 1	33,905.69
March 1	34,138.69
April 1	269,472.56
May 1	154,244.70
June 1	92,964.26

\$669,043.27
Total

14. (b) RECEIPTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received anything of value⁴ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name of foreign principal	Date received	Description of thing of value	Purpose
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15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS - MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
	1. Expenditures are operated solely by the Belgian National Tourist Office, which is staffed by Mrs. F. Raeymaekers, Director/USA and Miss A. F. Neville, Publicity Assistant, whose salaries are paid by the Commissariat General au Tourisme (Belgian National Tourist Office), Brussels, Belgium.		
	2. Our advertising agency, Donald N. Martin and Company, 488 Madison Avenue, New York, New York (also known as Travel News Service, Inc.) prepares and places advertising in consumer and trade publications and directs the sales promotion program for the "Belgium's Bonus Days" travel incentive plan. During this period payments to them were approximately \$452,986.00 as per copies of invoices herewith (Enclosure A).		
	3. Bulletins are mailed and printed matter is distributed by a direct mail service, Accurate Boffer Mail/Marketing Corp., 3202 Queens Boulevard, Long Island City, New York. During this period, payments to them were about \$38,003.00 as per copies of invoices herewith (Enclosure B).		

In round figures, other expenditures for this period were approximately as follows:

Membership in travel trade organizations	\$ 450.00
Purchase and printing of publicity material	16,568.00
Public Relations expenses (entertainment of persons in the travel, tours and affiliated business)	26,933.00
Travel and transportation	14,297.00
Customs handling, transportation of publicity material	39,340.00
Stationery, office supplies	5,512.00
Office expenses, (including translations, secretarial assistance, etc.)	31,508.00
Subscriptions	668.00
Item 2 of 15 (a) above	452,986.00
Item 3 of 15 (a) above	38,003.00

15. (b) DISBURSEMENTS - THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value⁵ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in items 8, 9 and 10 of this statement?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date disposed</i>	<i>Name of person to whom given</i>	<i>On behalf of what foreign principal</i>	<i>Description of thing of value</i>	<i>Purpose</i>
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS - POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value⁵ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount or thing of value</i>	<i>Name of political organization</i>	<i>Name of candidate</i>
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V - POLITICAL PROPAGANDA

(Section 1(j) of the Act defines "political propaganda" as including any oral, visual, graphic, written, pictorial, or other communication or expression by any person (1) which is reasonably adapted to, or which the person disseminating the same believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert induce, or in any other way influence a recipient or any section of the public within the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party or with reference to the foreign policies of the United States or promote in the United States racial, religious, or social dissensions, or (2) which advocates, advises, instigates, or promotes any racial, social, political, or religious disorder, civil riot, or other conflict involving the use of force or violence in any other American republic or the overthrow of any government or political subdivision of any other American republic by any means involving the use of force or violence.)

16. During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any political propaganda as defined above? Yes ☐ No ☒

IF YES, RESPOND TO THE REMAINING ITEMS IN THIS SECTION V.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating political propaganda?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of political propaganda include the use of any of the following: **NO SUCH ACTIVITIES**

☐ Radio or TV broadcasts ☐ Magazine or newspaper ☐ Motion picture films ☐ Letters or telegrams
articles

☐ Advertising campaigns ☐ Press releases ☐ Pamphlets or other publications ☐ Lectures or speeches

☐ Other (specify) _____

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated political propaganda among any of the following groups: **NO**

☐ Public Officials ☐ Newspapers ☐ Libraries
☐ Legislators ☐ Editors ☐ Educational institutions
☐ Government agencies ☐ Civic groups or associations ☐ Nationality groups

☐ Other (Specify) _____

21. What language was used in this political propaganda:

NO SUCH ITEMS

☐ English

☐ Other (specify) _____

22. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, two copies of each item of political propaganda material disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☐ **NO SUCH ITEMS**

23. Did you label each item of such political propaganda material with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act? Yes ☐ No ☐ **NO SUCH ITEMS**

24. Did you file with the Registration Section, Department of Justice, a Dissemination Report for each item of such political propaganda material as required by Rule 401 under the Act?

Yes ☐ No ☐ **NO SUCH ITEMS**

VI - EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

25. EXHIBITS A AND B

- (a) Have you filed for each of the newly acquired foreign principals in Item 9 the following: **NONE**

Exhibit A⁶ Yes ☐ No ☐

Exhibit B⁷ Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

- (a) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period? **NONE**

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

26. EXHIBIT C

If you have previously filed an Exhibit C⁸, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6-month reporting period.

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

27. SHORT FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Have short form registration statements, been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5 and 7 of the supplemental statement?

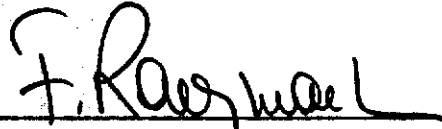
Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in attached Short Form Registration Statement, if any, insofar as such information is not within his (their) his (their) personal knowledge.

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States, if the registrant is an organization.)

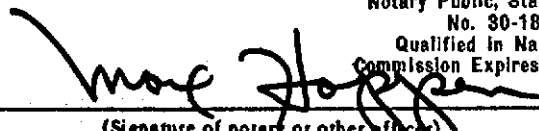
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Frederique Raeymaekers
Director/USA

Subscribed and sworn to before me at New York, New York

this 11th day of July, 19 79

MAX HOPPEN
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 30-1854390
Qualified in Nassau County
Commission Expires March 30, 1981


(Signature of notary or other officer)

⁸ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorpora-

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Attachment #1

Items listed under:

III - Activities (II)
of the Supplemental Statement
are distributed to some or all of the following, depending on quantities
available and on the categories for which the various items would be of
greatest interest.

Distribution: Mailing lists of names in the United States

Important U.S. Travel Editors	266
Travel Trade	48
Travel Editors of General Magazines	105
Columnists	26
Radio and TV Commentators	26
Important Women Editors	109
Freelance Writers	61
American Firms doing business in Belgium	516
Belgian Colony	275
Belgian Embassy and Consulates	84
Conventions International	144
European Railroads	12
European Travel Commission	26
Museums	224
General Public Relations	181
Libraries	235
Schools	130
Rotary Club	262
Womens Passenger Traffic Association	28
Travel Agents	8,476
Tourist Offices	28
European Consular Offices	22
United Nations Correspondents	142
Pan American Passenger Marketing Ofcs.	255
Air Canada Passenger Marketing Offices	48

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Attachment #2

Items listed under:

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"News From Belgium" Bulletins - BNT0 #1/79 to #12/79

Brochures -

Belgium Where to go-What to see	25,000
The "Stilt People"	429
Belgium with a Bonus	150,000
Belgium Day Trips and Excursions '79	20,000
The Brussels Millennium Programme	11,500
Oostende Hotels 1979	120
Tourism In Flanders	200
Province of Luxembourg	600
Bruges	990
1979 Brussels 1000 years Program	2,100
1000 Bruxelles Brussel Brüssel Brussels	100
Blankenberge	100
Events Land of Uilenspiegel	350
Program Map	1,900
Tourist Menu 1979	100
Millennium Shells	17,000

Posters -

Procession of the Holy Blood	500
Bruges	1,200

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Attachment #3

III - Activities (II) of the Supplemental Statement

Belgium was represented at the following events:

January 15	European Travel Commission Supermart, Atlanta, Georgia
January 17	European Travel Commission Supermart, Miami, Florida
January 18	European Travel Commission Supermart, Tampa, Florida
January 22	European Travel Commission Supermart, Houston, Texas
January 23	European Travel Commission Supermart, Dallas, Texas
January 29	European Travel Commission Supermart, San Diego, California
January 31	European Travel Commission Supermart, Anaheim, California
February 1	European Travel Commission Supermart, Los Angeles California
February 5	European Travel Commission Supermart, San Francisco, California
February 6	European Travel Commission Supermart, Seattle, Washington
February 8	European Travel Commission Supermart, Denver, Colorado
February 13	European Travel Commission Supermart, Detroit, Michigan
February 15	European Travel Commission Supermart, Cleveland, Ohio
March 15-18	Sun Coast Travel Show, St. Petersburg, Florida
March 8	BBD Travel Agents Dinner, Boston, Massachusetts
March 8	BBD Press Luncheon, Boston, Massachusetts
March 14	BBD Travel Agents Reception, Chicago (Downtown), Illinois
March 15	BBD Travel Agents Reception, Chicago (North), Illinois
March 28	BBD Travel Agents Reception, Atlanta, Georgia
March 28	BBD Press Luncheon, Atlanta, Georgia
March 29	Travel Agents Breakfast, ASTA Eastern Regional Conference, Washington, D.C.

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Attachment #3 - continued

May 15 Braniff "Get Acquainted with Europe" Seminar, Dallas, Texas

May 16 Braniff "Get Acquainted with Europe" Seminar, Houston, Texas

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NOTICE

Please answer the following questions and return this sheet in triplicate with your supplemental statement:

1. Is your answer to Item 16 of Section V (Political Propaganda - page 7 of Form OBD-64 - Supplemental Statement):

Yes _____ or No X _____

(If your answer to question 1 is "yes" do not answer question 2 of this form.)

2. Do you disseminate any material in connection with your registration:

Yes X _____ or No _____

(If your answer to question 2 is "yes" please forward for our review copies of all such material including: films, film catalogs, posters, brochures, press releases, etc. which you have disseminated during the past six months.)

F. Raeymaekers
Signature

July 11, 1979
Date

Frederique Raeymaekers
Please type or print name of
signatory on the line above

Director/USA
Title